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Jesus was set as high priest at the resurrection.

Hebrews 5:5 (NIV) – ⁵ So Christ also did not take upon himself the glory of becoming a high priest. But God said to him, "You are my Son; today I have become your Father..."

John 20:16-17 (NKJV/KJV) – ¹⁶ Jesus said to her, "Mary!" She turned and said to Him, "Rabboni!" (which is to say, Teacher). ¹⁷ Jesus said to her, "Touch me not, for I have not yet ascended to My Father; but go to My brethren and say to them, 'I am ascending to My Father and your Father, and to My God and your God.'"

Hebrews 9:11 (NKJV) – ¹¹ But Christ came as High Priest of the good things to come, with the greater and more perfect tabernacle not made with hands, that is, not of this creation.

Up to this point, the physical tabernacle was merely a shadow of what was to come (i.e. Jesus).

Hebrews 8:5 – ⁵ They (priests) serve at a sanctuary that is a copy and shadow of what is in heaven. This is why Moses was warned when he was about to build the tabernacle: "See to it that you make everything according to the pattern shown you on the mountain."

Hebrews 9:6-8 (NKJV) – ⁶ Now when these things had been thus prepared, the priests always went into the first part of the tabernacle, performing the services. ⁷ But into the second part the high priest went alone once a year, not without blood, which he offered for himself and for the people's sins committed in ignorance; ⁸ the Holy Spirit indicating this, that the way into the Holiest of All was not yet made manifest while the first tabernacle was still standing.

Jesus became the way and the only way.

John 14:6 (NIV) – ⁶ Jesus answered, "I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me."

Jesus became the high priest and the sacrificial lamb.

Hebrews 9:11-14 (NKJV) – ¹¹ But Christ came as High Priest of the good things to come, with the greater and more perfect tabernacle not made with hands, that is, not of this creation. ¹² Not with the blood of goats and calves, but with His own blood He entered

the Most Holy Place once for all, having obtained eternal redemption. ¹³ For if the blood of bulls and goats and the ashes of a heifer, sprinkling the unclean, sanctifies for the purifying of the flesh, ¹⁴ how much more shall the blood of Christ, who through the eternal Spirit offered Himself without spot to God, cleanse your conscience from dead works to serve the living God?

Are you sin conscious or righteousness conscious?

II Corinthians 5:21 (KJV) - ²¹ For he hath made him to be sin for us, who knew no sin; that we might be made the righteousness of God in him.

II Corinthians 5:17 (TLB/NKJV) – ¹⁷ When someone becomes a Christian, he becomes a brand-new person inside, a new creation. Old things pass away, as he is not the same anymore. A new life has begun and all things have become new!

Hebrews 4:14-16 (NKJV) – ¹⁴ Seeing then that we have a great High Priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus the Son of God, let us hold fast our confession. ¹⁵ For we do not have a High Priest who cannot sympathize with our weaknesses, but was in all points tempted as we are, yet without sin. ¹⁶ Let us therefore come boldly to the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy and find grace to help in time of need.